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**SUPPLEMENTING INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97 and § 1.98**

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Sir:

The Information Disclosure Statement submitted June 28, 2004, in the above-identified application, upon initially filing the above-identified application, is noted. On Sheet 2 of 3 of the listing of documents enclosed with this Information Disclosure Statement filed June 28, 2004, an incorrect number is set forth for the last foreign patent document; that is, the List has foreign patent document "JP-2000-048740", rather than the correct number which is --JP 2000-348740--. In view thereof, and in order to provide correct numbers for all of the foreign patent documents, enclosed herewith please find a substitute Sheet 2 of 3, including, inter alia, the correct number for the last-named foreign patent document on this Sheet 2. Substitution of this Sheet 2 for the previously submitted Sheet 2 is respectfully requested.


This Supplementing Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified application. Accordingly, when taking the Information Disclosure Statement and the present Supplementing Information Disclosure Statement together, it is respectfully submitted that requirements of 37 CFR § 1.97(b) are still satisfied.

In view of all of the foregoing, consideration of the documents submitted originally upon filing the above-identified application, with the Information Disclosure Statement submitted June 28, 2004, and substitution of the Sheet 2 of 3 submitted herewith for the Sheet 2 of 3 submitted June 28, 2004, are respectfully requested.

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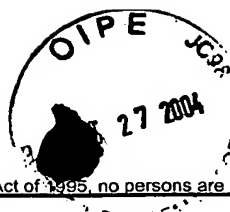
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